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Welcome to the July issue the Radio HF Newsletter. To all our Canadian subscribers, I hope you had a great Canada Day on July 1 and to our American friends I hope the same held true for your July 4th celebrations. Hot and humid weather has hit Montreal in July. We typically have our hottest two months of the year in July and August. Summer here in Montreal is a very busy time. The Grand Prix kicked things off in June. The Montreal International Jazz Festival is just wrapping up and then it's straight into the Just For Laughs comedy festival, and that's just getting things warmed up. We'll have several major concert events coming up soon as well including Osheaga, Pop Montreal and Heavy Montreal. Then there are the various film festivals including Fantasia. If you've never had the opportunity to visit Montreal, please give it some serious consideration. Anytime of the year, there's a lot going on here.

Our Monthly Special Zone for July features web pages on Nelson Mandela Day and the International Day of Friendship.

This month's virtual voyage around the world, in the "Where in the World Zone", takes us to Africa to the country of Zambia. The Republic of Zambia is a landlocked country in Southern Africa neighboring the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the north, Tanzania to the north-east, Malawi to the east, Mozambique, Zimbabwe, Botswana and Namibia to the south, and Angola to the west. The capital city is Lusaka, in the south-central part of the country. The population is concentrated mainly around Lusaka in the south and the Copperbelt Province to the northwest.

Let's get on to this month's links.

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No comments this month

THE CONTRIBUTORS ZONE

Thank you to our 4 contributors to this month's edition. To everyone else, please consider sharing some of your favourite websites with us.

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Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec
Kim Komando's Cool Site of the Day
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THE MONTHLY SPECIAL ZONE

UNITED NATIONS: NELSON MANDELA INTERNATIONAL DAY

http://www.un.org/en/events/mandeladay/index.shtml
http://www.un.org/en/events/mandeladay/index.shtml

Every year on 18 July – the day Nelson Mandela was born – the UN joins a call by the Nelson Mandela Foundation to devote 67 minutes of time to helping others, as a way to mark Nelson Mandela International Day.

UNITED NATIONS: INTERNATIONAL DAY OF FRIENDSHIP

http://www.un.org/en/events/friendshipday/ http://www.un.org/en/events/friendshipday/

The International Day of Friendship was proclaimed in 2011 by the UN General Assembly with the idea that friendship between peoples, countries, cultures and individuals can inspire peace efforts and build bridges between communities.

THE JULY ZONE

Each month we feature the monthly page from Wikipedia, the free, on-line encyclopaedia. The page features an overview of the month, plus background and general information on the month itself. The actual monthly calendar, clickable day by day, gives a list of special events in history, famous birthdays, anniversaries, etc. for each day. Here is the link for the month of July.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/July http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/July

Also, here are some special days and events in July

MONTHLY CELEBRATIONS

National Cell Phone Courtesy Month
National Hot Dog Month
National Ice Cream Month

SPECIAL DAYS

1 – Canada Day
4 – Independence Day: the Fourth of July
5 – United Nations: International Day of Cooperatives
11 – United Nations: World Population Day
18 – United Nations: Nelson Mandela International
28 – United Nations: World Hepatitis Day
30 – United Nations: International Day of Friendship

Source:
2014 Chase's Calendar of Events
2014 USDA Health Observances & Holidays
2043 California Department of Education - Calendar of Events,
2014 California State PTA - Health Observances Calendar
2014 National Health & Wellness Observances Calendar
2014 United Nations Observances
National Food Days – ScottRobertsWeb.com

VIA

http://ucanr.edu/sites/Spanish/Calendario/July_2011/
http://ucanr.edu/sites/Spanish/Calendario/July_2011/

RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE #1

NEW FROM KENWOOD ELECTRONICS

THE TH-K20A 144 MHz (2-meter band) FM Portable Transceiver

Looking for an affordable but durable, high-performance basic portable 2-meter transceiver for amateur radio use? Kenwood has just the thing. For well under $200 the successor to the TK-K2 series, even at first glance, Kenwood's stylish new TH-K20A is in a class of its own. Though compact enough to fit snugly in either pocket or palm, it offers all the features necessary to make operation simple and sure. And despite its smart looks, this 144MHz FM transceiver is tough enough to survive the rigors of outdoor use, while delivering superb performance. So roam freely while enjoying the clear, reliable communications for which Kenwood is renowned. For more information on this new portable check out
http://www.kenwood.ca/Communications/Amateur_Radio/Portables/TH-K20A
http://www.kenwood.ca/Communications/Amateur_Radio/Portables/TH-K20A

Kenwood radio products and accessories are available from Radio HF.

WHERE IN THE WORLD ZONE
THIS MONTH – ZAMBIA

C.I.A. WORLD FACTBOOK – ZAMBIA

https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/za.html
https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/za.html

WIKIPEDIA – ZAMBIA

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Zambia http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Zambia

THE ZAMBIAN PARLIAMENT

http://www.parliament.gov.zm/ http://www.parliament.gov.zm/

The official page of the government of the country

ZAMBIA ONLINE

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Zambia http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Zambia

The national homepage of the country of Zambia

WELCOME TO ZAMBIA

http://www.zambiatourism.com/ http://www.zambiatourism.com/

The travel and tourism page for the country

RADIO STATION WORLD – ZAMBIA

http://radiostationworld.com/Locations/Zambia/ http://radiostationworld.com/Locations/Zambia/

This is a listing of radio services in the country

ZAMBIA NATIONAL BROADCASTING CORPORATION

http://www.znbc.co.zm/ http://www.znbc.co.zm/

This page features the national radio services of the country.

ONLINE NEWSPAPERS – ZAMBIA

http://www.onlinenewspapers.com/zambia.htm http://www.onlinenewspapers.com/zambia.htm

This is a listing of newspapers in the country

THE RADIO ZONE

BEST RADIOS

http://www.best-radios.com http://www.best-radios.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Welcome to best-radios.com, where you'll find all the latest radios reviews and ratings and helpful articles, deals and tips on radios.

AM DX

http://www.am-dx.com/ http://www.am-dx.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The AM-DX.COM site was started in December 2002. It's a place where information about the hobby of reception of distant AM Broadcast stations may be found. It is not associated with any of the clubs. This site is primarily interested in AM broadcast stations in the 150 kHz to 1800 kHz range. Some mention of beacons or point to point stations may be made, though it's not the major thrust here. It is hoped that this site will be a center for exchange of tips and information about the hobby.

AM FM TV RECEPTION GUIDE AND DIRECTORY

http://www.amfmreception.com http://www.amfmreception.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This is an informational site with directories, guides, and reviews of equipment, software, and services used for reception of AM and FM radio and television. Use the menu on the right of the page to help guide you to the various sections of the page.

RADIO TODAY

http://www.radiotoday.com.au http://www.radiotoday.com.au/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Australasia's leading radio site, Radio Today is the leading website for the Australian and New Zealand radio industry, and our traffic is independently audited by the Audited Media Association of Australia. Put simply, no radio focused site in Australia or New Zealand has higher traffic numbers than Radio Today. We started Radio Today because we believe the radio industry deserved a resource that not only reports the 'what' and the 'who', but also the 'why' and the 'how'. A resource offering compelling, thought-provoking and actionable content from people with deep, exceptional and contemporary experience at the highest levels.

RADIOMUSEUM

http://www.radiomuseum.org/ http://www.radiomuseum.org/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Radio Museum's home page is the starting point to search the world's largest collection of tube radios, transistor radios and tubes. Take note that this is a multi-lingual page; English, French, Spanish, German and Italian.

HF LINK

http://hflink.com/ http://hflink.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

HFLINK is the international resource for ALE Automatic Link Establishment High Frequency Communications - HF Digital Messaging - HF Interoperability - Emergency / Disaster Relief - High Frequency Interoperable Communications - Ham Radio

RADIO H.F. BOOK REVIEW ZONE

EDITOR: T. J. “Skip” Arey

Your First Amateur Radio HF Station
by Steve Ford WB8IMY
ISBN: 978-1-62595-007-9
Published by: The American Radio Relay League
$22.95 US or $25.50 Canadian
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If you have been following the news, ham radio is growing. You have probably noticed a few new folks coming around your clubs and operating events. Most folks enter the hobby these days operating basic VHF-UHF repeater systems. But, more than a few decide to move up from their handi-talkies into the HF realm. If your only understanding of HF hamming comes from looking at more experienced ham’s well established stations or the ads in the back of any ham magazine, it can seem like getting on the low bands is an insurmountable and expensive task. We know that is not the case, but how well do we communicate that a serviceable HF station can be put together for reasonable cost and with the basic skills even a beginner brings to the table?
Steve Ford WB8IMY should get the “Elmer of the Year” award for putting this book together. This is a practical guide on getting on the HF bands with a minimum of fuss and bother. Steve applies his extensive experience to helping anyone new to HF decide on an antenna system, transmitter and accessories. He dispels rumors and pints out important safety concerns, all with the intent on getting any ham up and running on HF. To put it most simply, the book points out that it is no harder to get an HF station together than a VHF/UHF base station that many beginning hams have already set up.
Every ham club should have a couple of copies of this book available to loan out to newly licensed hams. In addition to great information the book serves to begin a conversation that can be joined by more experienced hams to help get folks on the air in high style. Highly recommended.

This publication is available from ARRL or from your favourite radio and communications publications retailer, including Radio HF (ed.)

THE GENERAL ZONE

UNITED NATIONS PEACEKEEPING

http://www.un.org/en/peacekeeping/ http://www.un.org/en/peacekeeping/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

United Nations Peacekeeping helps countries torn by conflict create the conditions for lasting peace. We are comprised of civilian, police and military personnel. In addition to maintaining peace and security, peacekeepers are increasingly charged with assisting in political processes; reforming judicial systems; training law enforcement and police forces; disarming and reintegrating former combatants; supporting the return of internally displaced persons and refugees.

TERRORISM RESEARCH & ANALYSIS CONSORTIUM (TRAC)

http://www.trackingterrorism.org/ http://www.trackingterrorism.org/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Terrorism Research & Analysis Consortium (TRAC) is a uniquely comprehensive resource for the study of political violence of all kinds. In cooperation with a team of 2800 experts, TRAC gathers the best information for exploration of this topic by faculty, scholars, students, government and defense professionals, as well as the general public.

EVERY HIT

http://www.everyhit.com http://www.everyhit.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

EveryHit.com is a website for fans of The British music scene from the beginning of the rock 'n' roll era right the way through to the present day. It aims to inform about the world's fastest-moving and most vibrant music industry and promote it across the planet. The database is a dream-come-true for professionals, music fans, and anoraks alike. It enables you to answer many types of questions which have, until now, been difficult to address.

THE ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FARCE

http://www.airfarce.com/index.html http://www.airfarce.com/index.html

VIA Howard Gontovnick, Chomedey-Laval, Quebec

This is the official site of one of the loved Canadian comedy TV shows in history. The site features historical information, biographies on the cast, and also includes an extensive section of audio and video clips from the show.

THE FIRST AIR FORCE ONE

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ehwvZXVKmPU https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ehwvZXVKmPU

VIA Jerry Proc, Toronto, Ontario

This YouTube video documents the history of the first designated Presidential aircraft, Air Force One.

NATURE SOUNDMAP

http://www.naturesoundmap.com/ http://www.naturesoundmap.com/

VIA Kim Komando Cool Site of the Day

Nature Soundmap is a collection of nature recordings from around the world. They're pinned on Google Maps so you can see exactly where they were recorded. The recordings come from professional soundscape recording artists using two microphones to create a 360 degree surround-sound effect in your headphones. The sound is so real I almost ducked when I heard a hummingbird buzzing by. The variety of sounds from around the world is amazing. I was shocked by the call of the Pied ButcherBird in central Australia. I cracked up at the sound of the Cory's Shearwaters on Corsica - that's the island near Italy. And I can close my eyes and relax to the Dawn Chorus in Surrey, England. To listen to a recording, click on map marker and click "Listen" to start the recording. You can pause the recording down in the lower left corner of the screen.

RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE #3

What is new in books & publications from the American Radio Relay League, the Radio Society of Great Britain, and other publishers?

RSGB Prefix Guide 11th Edition
By Fred Handscombe, G4BWP
Ever wondered what that "unusual" call sign was? The fully updated "RSGB Prefix Guide" answers the question.
This comprehensive list of prefixes is revised and improved. Not just a listing of prefixes and their entities, the guide provides a host of useful additional material. References include a prefix's continent, CQ Zone, ITU Zone, Latitude and Longitude and many other details.
This latest edition of the RSGB Prefix Guide has a "new look" making listings clearer and easier to use than ever before, but still retaining its popular lay flat design.It includes all the elements that have made the book so popular over the years such as DXCC deleted entities, Russian & CIS entities, the popular DXCC checklist, and details of various award programs: IOTA, CQ WAZ, DXCC, WAS and others. New for this edition is an index of countries and their callsign allocations divided by continent. Designed with a "lay flat" wire binding for ease of use.
Product Details
Softcover: 80 pages
Publisher: Radio Society of Great Britain (RSGB). Eleventh Edition (2014) ISBN: 9781 9050 8695 4
Order No.: 9992 - Price: $19.95 U.S. or $21.95 Canadian

RSGB IOTA Directory 50th Anniversary Edition
Edited by Roger Balister, G3KMA
Celebrating 50 Years of the IOTA (Islands on the Air) Program
The IOTA Directory is your essential guide to participating in the Islands on the Air award program. It contains everything needed to enjoy collecting or operating from islands for this popular worldwide program. Fully updated, it provides the complete, official listing of IOTA islands available, with the many recent changes. It includes details of the award rules, the IOTA contest, the IOTA honor roll, and fascinating reports of IOTA operations. A must-have for every island chaser!
Product Details
Softcover: 128 pages
Publisher: Radio Society of Great Britain (RSGB). 50th Anniversary Edition (2014) ISBN: 9781-9050-8694-8
Order No.: 9916 – Price: $19.95 U.S. or $21.95 Canadian

An Introduction to Antenna Modeling
By Steve Nichols, G0KYA
Building antennas can be hard work. After you determine what you want to build, you have to source the appropriate materials, measure everything carefully and spend hours putting it all together. The impact of computer based modeling has changed all this. An Introduction to Antenna Modeling provides an easy way to design and test your antennas without ever lifting a saw or picking up wire cutters.
An Introduction to Antenna Modeling shows you step-by-step how to input antennas designs into MMANA-GAL, how to adapt designs you are given and how to optimize your designs for the best performance. You’ll learn how to model a whole host of antennas including dipoles, the G5RV, the W3DZZ trapped dipole, verticals, magnetic loop antennas and more.
CD-ROM included! This book is bundled with a CD-ROM, which is packed antenna modeling software, including MMANA-GAL, EZNEC, MININEC Pro and 4nec2. Over 30 Amateur Radio programs included!
Product Details
Softcover: 80 pages
Publisher: Radio Society of Great Britain (RSGB). First Edition (2014)
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Order No.: 9500 – Price $19.95 U.S. or $21.95 Canadian

SWR Explained
A Guide to Electromagnetic Waves, Transmission Lines and VSWR

By Reg Irish G4LUF
Many Amateur Radio operators are familiar with the concept of the Standing Wave Ratio (SWR) and the effect it has on the transmission and reception of signals. Few however have an understanding beyond the adjustment of an antenna tuner to reduce SWR. SWR Explainedsets out to fill that gap that makes electromagnetic Waves, transmission Lines and VSWR comprehensible. Written by a leading electrical engineer, SWR Explained explains what waves are, how they move in free space and how guided waves react. Steering clear of heavy mathematical theory, learn how transmission lines react and how to use transmission lines as resonant circuit elements. Includes designs for measuring transmission lines and how to work a VSWR meter.
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THE FUN & SERVICES ZONE

IXQUICK

https://ixquick.com/eng/ https://ixquick.com/eng/?

VIA Kim Komando’s Cool Site of the Day

Ixquick is the world's most powerful search engine employing the most advanced metasearch technology. Ixquick does not collect or share any personal information! When you search with Ixquick search engine, you are searching many popular search engines simultaneously and anonymously. Combined, these engines cover more of the Internet than any one search engine alone.

THE INTERNET IN REAL TIME

http://pennystocks.la/internet-in-real-time/ http://pennystocks.la/internet-in-real-time/

VIA Kim Komando’s Cool Site of the Day

The Internet is a busy place - days of video, millions of cat pictures and libraries worth of status updates go up every minute. That doesn't even include the money changing hands. It's one thing to say that the Internet is expanding, though, and another to actually see it happening in real time. That's why Penny Stock Lab built a page called The Internet In Real Time. It tracks the flow of data from the Internet's heavy-hitters like Google, Twitter, Facebook and other major sites.

KPROXY

http://www.kproxy.com http://www.kproxy.com/

VIA Kim Komando’s Cool Site of the Day

Protecting your privacy online is a never-ending struggle. As more and more parties - from governments to advertisers to hackers - become interested in what you do with your computer, it's becoming almost impossible. There are still some tricks you can use to browse anonymously, though. The next time you hop on the Internet, give KProxy a try. To use KProxy, just enter the address of the site you want to visit into the page. KProxy does the rest. It routes your request through other computers - called proxies - around the world. The site you're visiting won't see your IP address and your Internet service provider won't know what site you've visited.

THE 2014 HAMFEST/FLEAMARKET ZONE

Here is a list of upcoming events including amateur radio hamfests and fleamarkets, predominantly in Canada. NOTE: All times quoted are local. This list is compiled by Radio Amateurs of Canada, and other sources.

Saturday, July 5, 2014
Saskatchewan Hamfest 2014
Sponsor: Saskatchewan Amateur Radio League Inc.
Location: Moose Jaw Western Development Museum. Main St. N., Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan.
Times: Vendors 7:30-8:45 AM set up. General public at 9:00 AM
Cost: $7.50 each. SARL members and spouses FREE
Talk-in: 146.34/94
Info: Val VE5AQ 1-306-693-6127
Email: ve5aq@sasktel.net mailto:ve5aq@sasktel.net
Webpage: http://www.sarl.ca http://www.sarl.ca/

Friday, July 11 & Saturday, July 12, 2014
51st International Ham Fest, Boissevain, Manitoba
Sponsor: International Ham Fest Committee
Location: South of Brandon Manitoba on # 10 Highway in the Peace Garden, on the Manitoba - North Dakota border
Times: Friday night Registration 6-9 PM; Saturday Registration 9 AM to 6 PM
Cost: $15.00 (Cdn or US)
Talk-in: VE4IHF 146.85 - 25
For more info: Richard Holder VE4QK - (204) 268-1702
Email: ve4ihf@mts.net mailto:ve4ihf@mts.net
Webpage: http://www.mts.net/~holderr/ihf.htm http://www.mts.net/~holderr/ihf.htm

Saturday, July 12, 2014
ONTARIO HAMFEST - 40th Anniversary – Milton, Ontario
Sponsor: Burlington Amateur Radio Club
Directions to location: The entrance to the General Admission parking will be opposite the J.M. Deynes public School on Thomas Street
Times: 07:00 Inside & Commercial Vendors; Robert St Gate
08:00 Tailgate Vendors; Robert St Gate
09:00 General Admission; Thomas St Gate ONLY
Admission: $ 7.00; Tables: $14.00 each
Tailgate Permit: $ 7.00 per space
Talk-in: 146.520 Simplex - Ontario Hamfest Talk-in
Email: barc.ontariohamfest@gmail.com mailto:barc.ontariohamfest@gmail.com
Webpage: http://www.ontariohamfest.ca http://www.ontariohamfest.ca/

Saturday, August 16, 2014
25th Anniversary St-Romuald Hamfest
Sponsor: Association Radio Expérimentale du Sud de Québec
Location: Centre de formation professionnelle Gabriel-Rousseau, 1155 boul. de la Rive-Sud, St-Romuald, QC
Time: Vendors 6 am; Publc 9 am
Cost: $8; Tables $15
Talk-in: 147.225+ Tone 85.4
E-mail: hamfestares@hotmail.com mailto:hamfestares@hotmail.com
Webpage: http://www.raqi.ca/ve2csq/ http://www.raqi.ca/ve2csq/

Saturday, August 23, 2014
6th Annual Junk-in-the-Trunk Event
Sponsor: Ontario Swap Shop
Location: Newmarket Theatre paved parking lot, 505 Pickering Crescent, Newmarket, ON L3Y 8H1
Time: 7:30 AM until 12 noon

Cost: Vendors $5; Public Free
Talk-in: 146.520 simplex; local repeater 147.225
Information: Nick VE3NJG ve3njg@ontarioswapshop.com mailto:ve3njg@ontarioswapshop.com
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Mike VE3MKX mkx@bell.net mailto:mkx@bell.net
Webpage: http://ontarioswapshop.com http://ontarioswapshop.com/

RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE #4

RADIO HF GIFT CERTIFICATES

Radio HF gift certificates are a great idea if you're not sure what that special person is looking for. Radio HF gift certificates are available in any denomination. Please contact Radio HF for details.

THE RESOURCES ZONE

The following is a listing of clubs, groups, radio broadcasts and other resources that may be of interest to you.

THE CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DX CLUB (CIDX)

CIDX is Canada's national radio monitoring club, serving radio hobbyists since 1962. Our monthly electronic newsletter, MESSENGER, covers all aspects of the radio monitoring hobby as well as amateur radio coverage.

SPECIAL OFFER: To all Radio HF Internet Newsletter subscribers, a FREE sample of our monthly CIDX electronic newsletter, MESSENGER, (in .PDF format) is available to you for the asking. Just send along an e-mail to cidxclub@yahoo.com mailto:cidxclub@yahoo.com, with a valid return e-mail address and you'll receive your copy. Our July 2014 edition is now available. Membership, at the low cost of $10 per year, or 3 years for $25.00, is open to radio hobbyists worldwide. We'd love to have you on-board as a member. Please visit the CIDX web page at http://www.cidx.ca http://www.cidx.ca/

PRIME TIME SHORTWAVE

Prime Time Shortwave is a listing of English shortwave broadcast that are updated frequently by webmasters Daniel Sampson and by database administrator Ernest Riley. The schedules are constantly updated from various print and internet sources as well as from monitoring by the webmaster and other shortwave listeners and DXers. The shortwave schedules are available by time, country and frequency format. Also, they are available in ASCII, Dbase and Excel. You will also find links to some of the best radio related websites and to the international broadcasters and time conversion charts (some provided by Craig Braun). Please visit the Prime Time Shortwave webpage at

http://www.primetimeshortwave.com/ http://www.primetimeshortwave.com/

THE INTERNATIONAL RADIO REPORT

The International Radio Report, on CKUT-FM, 90.3 FM in Montreal this month, is available via the Internet live streaming, and on the airwaves of CKUT, Sunday mornings at 10:30 AM Eastern (1430 UTC). The show's co-hosts, Sheldon Harvey & David Asselin, present a weekly half-hour of news, information and developments in radio broadcasting. Now in its 27th year on the air

Visit the CKUT web page for full CKUT programming details.

http://www.ckut.ca http://www.ckut.ca/

You can check us out on Facebook as well at https://www.facebook.com/groups/188158277887350/ https://www.facebook.com/groups/188158277887350/

You may also listen to archived editions of the programme through the CKUT web site. Send your comments or questions to the International Radio Report, by e-mail, to radioreport@yahoo.com mailto:radioreport@yahoo.com

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